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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Michael KRAMER

Appln. No.: 09/787,559

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For: REGULATORY PROTEIN FROM HUMAN KERATINOCYTES

Attorney Docket No.: 4007.001

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136 AND  
PAYMENT OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

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Honorable Commissioner of  
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Sir:

Assertion is hereby made that the inventor qualify as independent inventor as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled "REGULATORY PROTEIN FROM HUMAN KERATINOCYTES", described in the specification filed June 18, 2001.

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month (1 month), extending the time to respond to the Office Action dated April 10, 2002, to August 12, 2002 (August 10<sup>th</sup> falling on a Saturday). A check in the amount of \$55.00 is attached. Please charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0877.

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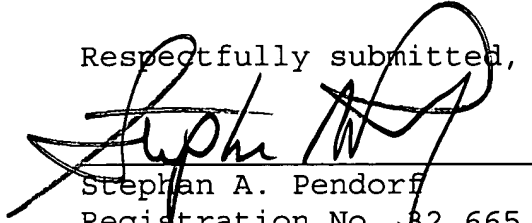
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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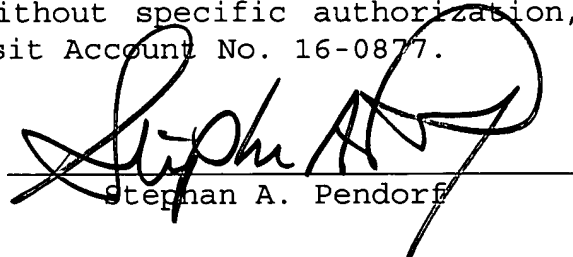
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND PAYMENT OF FEE for U.S. Application No. 09/787,559 filed June 18, 2001, was deposited in first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, addressed: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on August 12, 2002.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required at any time during the prosecution of this application without specific authorization, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0877.

  
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